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CAPE FEAR HARBOR.

SMITHVILLE, N. C., Sept. 19, '81.

EDITOR POST:—You may well imagine my gratification at the publication of my last defence of our Harry Bacon, and what is more, he feels fully as gratified as I, myself, William X. Snooks, does. To-day I met him, and he shook my hand as only one honest man will anothers, and said, my dear Snooks, you know not how over-joyful I feel at your manly, courageous and fearless defense of my official conduct in the management of this work. You have placed me and my dear friend Harper under lasting, yes, everlasting, obligations to you, by such chivalry, and may the time come when I can repay you. Harper says if you would only agree to trade with him he would employ you to-morrow; but he thinks you will see the side you can get your bread buttered on, and as soon as you do, dear Snooks, a job you shall have.

Now, says our Henry Bacon, my dear Snooks, you see those miserable pilots, low down tax payers and a few of those merchants are grumbling, and for what? Why, you see Capt. Harper's small vessel went to Little River, he got uneasy about her and left his dredging to-day about 2 o'clock, went down the beach about ten miles, found his vessel, the Charles Thomas, towed her up to the bar at about 5 o'clock, then went to work and worked until 5,45 and took his vessel on to Smithville. It is true the dredge-boat lost about three hours work and Capt. Harper got the benefit of it, but what right have they to grumble? The United States government is rich and Captain Harper is poor.

Now, these merchants here, who don't like Capt. Harper, grumble and say that Capt. Harper has freighted $30,000 worth of goods on the government boat, but what right has such poor trash as Wescott, Davis and Morse to say anything, if I am willing for the government boat to do Capt. Harper a favor? Some of these low down tax payers grumbled because Captain Harper towed in the Oriental and the Spray, two small vessels, the other day, while wrecking, but they have nothing to do with it.

And, says brother Bacon, friend Snooks, the other day while my dear Harper was away in Baltimore I did'nt pay off until he got home, so that he could get his money from the men, and those fellows complained of that. It is an outrage that I have got to be talked about by such low down trash. And you, who are standing by me so nobly will certainly reap your reward. The most of these fellows don't know who it is writing for the Post, but brother W. X. Snooks, I spotted you at once. You newspaper correspondents can't fool me. I'll see you again, says brother Bacon, and give you some more points soon—and he walked away.

I am glad you said nothing more against brother Henry Bacon last week. I thought you would hold off when you heard from I, William X. Snooks, I told Mrs. Snooks that all would be well. Says I, "darling Sally Snooks, you see this man Canaday is a Republican, and when he takes up your dear William's communication he will say, here's a Democrat captured, and in goes my communication, and your dear William X. Snooks will be on the government works." "But," says my darling Sally, says she, "you are a Democrat, and Mr. Henry Bacon is a Radical Republican, and he won't give you work." "But," says I, "you see I'll trade with Captain Harper and that will make it all right." "O!" says Sally. It's very remarkable how very quick these women are at taking a point, and my Sally is one of the talkingest women I ever saw. Sally pulls my hair sometimes, when I am out late watching for the white winged birds of the Atlantic; but then I excuse her, for the little Snooks' have to be properly bedded and snooked, and there are so many that it takes two of us to stow them way in good shape.

It would have been too bad if I had forgot, neglected or overlooked dear Mickie, our Henry Bacon's assistant. They do say that he fairly raves and pulls his own hair on account of your late criticisms on the harbor improvements. The fact is, he likes me—he and brother Henry both. Did you ever see the dear boy, Mickie? Well, he is a hard worked youth—many is the time that we all, including Sally and the children—the young Snookses—have scoured our eyes on his account—Sally always takes up for Mickle. She says he is so handsome, and is such a splendid marble player that it is a pity to work him so. The other day I went home and found my dear Sally wiping the perspiration from his (Mickie's) noble brow, and fanning the sweet darling with her apron. I didn't see the spoon, but it looked as if she had been feeding him. You may just swear that no one else would have been allowed such privileges. But we have an itching for the splendid plant, and hope in time to make a man of him.

Yours with Love,
WILLIAM X. SNOOKS.

CITY ITEMS.

All subscribers to the Post not receiving the same regularly, will please report the same to Mr. W. E. Sellers at this office.

Coots have made their appearance.

The river has risen about one foot at Fayetteville, and the steamers are now running through.

Third street, in front of the City Hall, is being ballasted from Princess to Chestnut streets.

Mr. W. P. Canaday, the editor of this paper, has been quite sick for the past two weeks.

A. Gamberg's residence at Rocky Point was draped in mourning out of respect for the late President.

There is to be a sabre tournament at the State Fair, and Hon. A. M. Waddell is to deliver the coronation address.

Mayor Smith expects to call the memorial meeting on Monday at the hour the funeral services of the lamented President are being held.

The Wilmington Light Infantry have received the necessary equipments for the trip to Yorktown next month and say they will carry thirty-five men.

Gen. Manning arrived home last Sunday night from his trip of four months at the north, and is in greatly improved health we are glad to state.

There will be a baptizing to day at the foot of Princess street at a eleven o'clock, from the First Baptist Church on the corner of Campbell and eight streets, conducted by A. M. Conway.

Duplin county Inferior Court convened in its first session at Kenansville on last Monday, the 19th instant., but there was but little business transacted save the necessary acts of organization.

The new round house of the Carolina Central Railroad at Laurinburg, which has been under process of erection for some months past, has been completed. It has a capacity for ten engines.

Friday evening last was the beginning of the great Hebrew festival, "Rosh Hashannah," or New Year's Day. The stores of our Jewish residents were closed, as it was a feast day and a time of high celebration.

Rev. C. O. Brady, minister in charge of St. Mark's Church in this city, returned here last Saturday night from Boston, where he has been spending the summer. The regular services were resumed at St. Mark's on Sunday.

Colonel H. B. Short, of Lake Waccamaw, who has been collecting specimens of woods peculiar to eastern North Carolina, has sent Professor W. C. Kerr 29 varieties. These are to be shown at Atlanta, and it is thought that they make the exhibit of our woods complete.

CHECK.—The other day as the train was rounding the curve at Eighth street coming from Weldon, a stranger stepped up to Mr. George Z. French and inquired, What place is this? Mr. F. immediately answered that he did not recollect the name, but it was a small station about eleven miles from Rocky Point. If tar is cheap we would recommend a small cost.

The 404 tons of railroad iron which was purchased by the Cape Fear and Yadkin Valley railroad, and which has been in this city in bond for the past two months, has been sold to the Pioneer Western railroad, and is to be shipped to Jacksonville on the schooner Ruth Darling, which is now taking it aboard. We have not learned why the Cape Fear and Yadkin Valley railroad parted with this iron, but it is surmised that the iron is too light for their track.

The Lancaster (S. C.) *Review* says that on the 14th inst. cotton sold as follows in the markets named: Wilmington, 11¼ cents; Savannah, 11¼; New Orleans, 11½; Mobile, 11¼; Augusta, 11¼; Charleston, 11½; Columbia, 10½; Charlotte, 11¼; Camden, 11; Lancaster, 11¼.

The fall term of the Criminal Court, His Honor, Judge Meares, presiding, will convene in this city to-morrow at 11 o'clock. Several cases will be brought against the city, growing out of the "Poor man's bill," in relation to the disposal of the market carts and other matters pertaining thereto.

Second Lieutenant R. H. Beery, of the Wilmington Light Infantry, has been elected First Lieutenant to fill a vacancy caused by the resignation of Lieut. W. J. Gordon, and Junior Second Lieutenant Geo. W. Doyle has been made Second Lieutenant, Vice Lieut. Beery, promoted. A vacancy, Junior Second Lieutenant, still exists and will be filled by election at the next regular meeting of the company.

THE CROPS.—And now it turns out exactly as we thought, that the condition of the crops throughout the state has been very much exagerated. A merchant who is pecuniarily interested in the welfare of the farmers says he finds the situation much better than he was led to believe it to be. It would seem as though a county or a neighborhood is too often judged, in the crop estimates, by the evil rather than by the good reports.

A PRINCE OF BREFFNY is the title of Mr. Thomas P. May's new novel, which is in press and shortly to be published by T. B. Peterson & Brothers, of Philadelphia, Pa. The hero of this charming book was a famous Irish soldier of fortune and the first Spanish Governor of Louisiana. The book has a clearly defined, healthful value, while the author's power of narrative is remarkable, and the work will amply repay perusal. We recommend it to all.

COUP'S PALACE ADVERTISING CAR, a magnificently decorated and elegantly appointed affair, is now lying at the depot. The second car, which is said to be equally as fine, will be here next week. There is said to be as many men employed as agents and advertisers in advance of Coup's show, as are contained in some whole shows, agents and all. Really Coup is out doing himself this year.

Mr. D. J. Piver, one of the pilots at Smithville, has taking the soundings on the new inlets between the Stone Wall across Federal Point and Bald Head *beach*, and he reports from 10 to 11 feet of water on each one of the inlets. This looks very much as though we would have as much water soon on these new inlets as on the old bar. We sincerely hope that this matter will turn out better than many of us expect.

RICE CROP.—The recent storm injured the rice crop on the river about 25 per cent, but this loss it is thought will be equalized to the planters by an increase in the price. The highest price obtained here last year for low-land rice was about $1.40 per bushel, but it is said that offers of $1.50 have been made already this season. The disasters to the crop in South Carolina will, of course, have an effect on the market. It is expected that the first rough rice will reach market this season about the 10th of October.

COUP'S GREAT SHOW AND A PARIS HIPPODROME COMING OCT. 13.—Although frequently announced, no real and genuine hippodrome such as that connected with W. C. Coup's United Monster Shows has ever appeared in the south.

Our readers may rest assured that what Mr. Coup promises will be fulfilled to the letter on the 13th of Oct., as announced in the advertisements. He is a gentleman in whom our readers may place the most implicit confidence.

Since his show visited the south last season he has increased it to enormous proportions. One of the most grand, novel and exciting features added being a magnificent hippodrome, with a brass track, completely encircling three circus rings, forty feet wide and nearly half a mile round, employing over two hundred artists and a tribe of Indians. Coup has a grand menagerie besides, and uses also bands of music. His museum is also splendid, requiring a dozen engines to operate the different features.

Both in the three circuses and hippodrome, many of the acts are entirely new, and are the theme of universal admiration and praise by the public and the press. Among these are the Indians, the Zulus, the flying La Los, the dashing Geraldine, etc., whose wonderful feats and performances have no parallel in the annals of the stage or the ring.

THE NATION'S DEAD PRESIDENT.—The death of President Garfield has cast a gloom over this city which will long be remembered. The people have been afflicted, let us hope in mercy and not in wrath, by Him who doeth all things well. In the death of James A. Garfield the country has lost one of the greatest men the world ever produced. It was reserved for James A. Garfield to unite the people of this nation. There is now no sectional feeling, but the north and the south, the east and the west, are united, and stand weeping over the mortal remains of our murdered President. In this city the grief of the people over the untimely death of President Garfield is undeniable. The faces of the good people show their grief, and in many streets the stores and dwellings are draped in the garb of mourning, and the entrances to the various Church edifices were draped on Friday and Saturday.

On Tuesday a joint meeting of the Chamber of Commerce and the Produce Exchange was held at 12 o'clock, to adopt resolutions of respect to the memory of President Garfield.

Hon. A. H. VanBokkelen, President of the Chamber of Commerce, called the meeting to order. He stated that the meeting had been called by the Presidents of the two bodies present, with the view of taking some action with regard to the death of James A. Garfield, President of the United States.

On motion of Mr. R. E. Calder, President of the Produce Exchange, a committee of three was appointed by the Chair to report suitable resolutions expressive of the sense of the meeting. Dr. A. J. DeRosset and Messrs. David G. Worth and William Calder were appointed this committee.

The committee retired and upon their return submitted, through their Chairman, Dr. DeRosset, the following preamble and resolutions:

WHEREAS, In the wisdom of a Divine Providence it has been decreed that the skill of man, the devotion of friends, the prayers of a people and the desire of all nations could not avail to save from an untimely and cruel death the Chief Magistrate of these United States, we desire to put upon record, with profound emotions, the grief which fills our hearts, humbly bowing in submission to the Will of that Ruler "which reigneth over the kings of the earth" and "doeth all things well."

Resolved, That in the death of President Garfield we recognize one of the greatest calamities that has befallen our country, one calculated to test to the uttermost our peculiar institutions, and requiring of our citizens, without regard to former affiliations, the exercise of great forbearance and such a surrender of individual desires to the public good as may enable us to safely and quietly pass through the ordeal to which we are subjected.

Resolved, That his long and painful struggle for life, endured with such manly fortitude and Christian resignation, has endeared him to our people as the most successful administration of public affairs could not have done and that in his martyr death the name of James A. Garfield has been enrolled among those whose memory the south will ever hold most sacred.

Resolved, That in respect to his memory the rooms of this body be draped in mourning until the obsequies of the deceased President are completed.

The preamble and resolutions were adopted by a unanimous vote. On motion of Mr. R. E. Calder, the rooms of the Exchange were ordered to be closed and business, as far as practicable suspended during the day.

On motion of Mr. D. McRae, 2nd Vice-President of the Chamber of Commerce, it was

Resolved, That this meeting recommend a general suspension of business throughout the city during the hours appointed for the funeral services of our late President.

After a few remarks from Mr. Wm. Calder, expressive of the sorrow and regret of our people, the meeting, on motion, adjourned.

The Mayor of this city has called a mass meeting of the citizens to assemble in the Opera House to-morow for the purpose of expressing the grief and regret of the people of this community in the death of President Garfield,—Monday has been selected because it is on that day the remains will be interred. His Honor has also issued a proclamation calling for an entire suspension of business on that day.

The City Hall, Custom House, Court House, Postoffice, Produce Exchange, Telegraph Office, Signal Office, Purcell House, Otterberg's store, Aaron & Rheinstein, A. David, Dyer & Sons, Munson, D. Newman & Son, George Myers, P. Heinsberger, and the Jewish Synagogue are appropriately draped in mourning, and the windows of other stores bear the emblems of mourning. The flags over the offices of the British Consul, German Vice Consulate, French Consul, the Consulate of the Argentine Republic, Norway, Denmark and Sweden, the Custom House, Signal Office, Dr. W. H. Green, Howard Relief Steam Fire Engine Company, the Cape Fear Steam Fire Engine Company, Star, J. H. Neff, Heinsberger Clyde Steamship Company and all the shipping in port have been half-masted. The sombre decorations of grief will remain until the funeral obsequies are held, and those on the federal buildings perhaps for thirty days longer.

THE VICAR GENERAL OF NORTH CAROLINA.—Father Harry P. Northrop has been appointed Vicar-Apostolic of North Carolina. North Carolina not being a diocese, but a Vicariate-Apostolic, the ecclesiastic in charge of it is appointed as Vicar-Apostolic, but is consecrated as bishop and has that rank in the church.

The Raleigh *News & Observer* says:—"Father H. P. Northrop is the son of the late C. E. Northrop, an eminent lawyer of the Charleston bar. He was born in Charleston, S. C., and is in his fortieth year.

"On his arrival in Charleston from Rome he was sent to supply the place of Dr. Cocoran, at Wilmington, N. C. Subsequently he was appointed pastor of the church at Newbern, N. C., to which church were attached several missions. North Carolina, which had, until then been attached to the diocese of Charleston, was at that time made a separate vicarate, the present Archbishop Gibbons, of Baltimore, being its first bishop.

"Father Northrop remained in North Carolina two years after the division of the diocese and returned to Charleston in 1871. He was then stationed at the Cathedral as assistant pastor, and was in 1877 appointed pastor of St. Patrick's Church. Father Northrop has ever been thoroughly efficient and conscientious in the discharge of his duties. He is possessed of high intellectual ability, is genial in manner, but is of a retiring disposition and more inclined to continue in his present sphere than to enter into a more public and elevated position. The honor done him is one that he well deserves, and which will be gratifying to the many friends who have confidently expected that he would be raised to the Episcopate."

PENDER COUNTY AFFAIRS.—The total of all taxable property in Pender county, for the year 1881, as taken from the list in the office of the Register of Deeds, amounts to $1,189,363, divided as follows: 363,684 acres of land, valued at $854,141; 141 town lots, $27,939; 679 horses, $39,531; 2 jacks, $150; 1 jenny, $25; 275 goats, $250; 7,036 cattle, $40,395; 16,882 swine, $18,216; 5,336 sheep, $5,519; farming utensils, 67,946; money in hand $9,655; solvent credits, $33,473; stock in insurance companies, $6,877; other personals, $48,641; railroad franchise, $90.

The special state tax is $2,626 50.

The school tax for the year is as follows: 911 white polls at $1 21½ each, $1,106 86; 888 colored polls, $1 21½ each $1,077 70; 12½ cents on every $100 of taxable property, $1,486 70. Total, $3,671 26.

The taxes for county purposes are 26 1-6 cents on every $100 of taxable property, and 78½ cents on each poll, $5,521 59.

Special county taxes at 16⅔ cents on every $100 of taxable property, and 50 cents on each poll, amounting to $2,384 27. Total county tax, $7,412 86.—Total state and county tax, including income, $14,428 99.

Since the year 1881 opened the Register of Deeds of Pender county has issued marriage licenses to forty white couples and forty-nine colored couples, the fees from which, up to and including the 22d instant, amounting to $133, have been paid over to the county Treasurer.

The county warrants of Pender are worth their face value in gold.

PERFECT TRUST.

My boat is on the sea
Which storms and tempests tow;
I know not of the ills to meet
Before I get across.

I do not know how long or short
The fitful voyage may be;
But patient I'll abide his time
Who built the boat for me.

'Tis fully manned in every part,
Hope is the anchor fair;
The compass that it has is Faith,
And every oar is prayer.

Sometimes I see the breakers nigh,
The ocean madly roars,
But all I do is simply this—
Bend closer to the oars.

At times the waves run mountain high
And threaten me to strand;
I fear not for He holds them in
The hollow of His hand.

The fog at times obscures my course,
I see the way but dim;
But well I know I cannot drift
Beyond the sight of Him.

I know not where the shoals may lie,
Nor where the whirlpools be,
It is enough, dear Lord, to feel
That they are known to Thee.

And thus content I glide along,
If either slow or fast,
Well knowing He will bring
Me safe to port at last.

No man ever preaches his sermons well to others if he does not first preach it to his own heart.

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was never before known in connection with any exhibition North or South, East or West, either in Europe or America. In fact, Mr. COUP'S SHOW has grown to such vast proportions, and the daily aggregate expenses so extraordinarily large, that he is compelled by necessity, not by choice, to increase the price of admission to 75 cents for adults, and 50 cents for children over nine years of age. Choice reserved seats 25 cents extra.

TWO EXHIBITIONS DAILY—AFTERNOON AND EVENING.

Cheap excursion trains will run on all railroads on the day of exhibition. Those wishing to avoid the crowds at the ticket office can procure their tickets on the day of exhibition at Dyer & Son's Clothing House, at a trifling advance.

Trying on the Bonnet.

A New Haven gentleman, whose business keeps him up late at night, was persuaded to do a millinery errand for his wife the other night, and as a result stumbled up the front stairs about two o'clock in the morning with three bran-new bonnet held carefully under his arm in a tissue paper. As soon as he turned on the gas his better half rubbed open her eyes and drowsily inquired:

"You—fogot my—bonnet, didn't—you?"

"No, I didn't. Here's the business."

"Oh, is it?" and that woman sprang up and ripped the wrappings off in a jiffy, and, slatting her nightcap into the corner, adjusted the new purchase carefully on her head. "How do you like it? It's becoming, isn't it?"

"Madam," responded the husband, "the bonnet certainly is becoming, but somehow the remainder of your costume don't jibe. Your dress, if I may call it such, has too much Hamburg edging and not enough overskirt. I think you need a little knife-pleating and a couple of extra ruffles—"

"Oh, you horrid——"

"And then, too, that bonnet has too much color for the rest of the ensemble, if I may borrow from the French."

"You hateful; I'll throw the thing out of the window if you don't tell me just how it looks—so there."

"That's what I'm trying to do, my dear. The bonnet looks 'immense.' In your present costume you couldn't fail to make a hit on the street, and just as like as not land in the police station. I should think some milliner had hired the statue of Queen Zenobia for a dummy to show off her goods."

"Dummy, dummy, did you say?" I'll let you know I'm no dummy," and she sat on the edge of the bed and lectured, and lectured, and lectured, until the deluded man had been bounced to sleep by the monotony of her voice. But she didn't take that bonnet off. She went and rigged herself up in the best duds she had, and when he awoke in the morning she was promenading about the room, trying the effect by posing in attitudes before the mirror.—*New Haven Register.*

To regret the one we love is sublime compared to the misery of living with one we hate.

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State of North Carolina, County of New Hanover.

W. W. Webb, Administrator de bonis non of [illegible], deceased, who sues in behalf of himself as well as all other creditors of the estate of James Stokeley, deceased.

vs.

[illegible] Executor of James Stokeley, deceased, Mildred A. Dickson, Walter J. Stokeley, Lauretta Stokeley, Annie H. Stokeley and wife, Alexander Stokeley, Walter J. Stokeley, William H. Stokeley, Jr., Wm. H. Stokeley, Sr., Annie Corbett and Samuel Corbett.

THE CREDITORS of the estate of said James Stokeley are hereby notified that the Commissioner's Bill has been this day filed by the Plaintiff against the defendants to ascertain the amount of said estate according to law. All creditors of said estate are hereby further required to come before the undersigned, at his office in W. Wilmington, on or before Monday, the 7th of November, 1881, and file the evidences of their claims or they will be prevented from participating in the assets of said estate.

[illegible] CLARKE,
Clerk Superior Court
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THE WILMINGTON POST.

W. P. CANADAY, Proprietor.

WILMINGTON, N. C.

SUNDAY MORNING, SEPT. 25, 1881.

SIX NEW PEERS.

Mr. Geo. W. Smalley, the "London Regular Correspondent of the *Tribune*," writes a letter from London to that journal about the method of making Peers. When men get illustrious, or rich, or leaders of any particular policy or theory, they are sometimes elevated to the highest degrees of nobility. Disraeli, of only three removes from a Venetian Jew became within less than ten years, not all at once, but by degrees, an Earl. The South Eastern Railway now sends its President to the House of Commons and he is elevated, as a sort of reward for services, as in the case of Nelson, Charles Wellesley or Benjamin Disraeli.

So recently, Sir Edward Watkin received a knighthood while Sir Daniel Gooch sits in the House of Lords, on account of Telegraph Cables, and Robert Stephenson did sit because he invented the Locomotive. Brewing, banking and coming back "fortunes with bad livers and worse hearts" from India—have brought Sir Henry Tufton, and Sir Harcourt Johnstone. One young gentleman opened his eyes when he recollected that Dudley Coutts had become Sir Dudley Coutts Marjoribanks. The English mode of enlarging the nobility is regular as compared with the Scotch and Irish Peerage.

The writer is really able and has lived a long time abroad and we give the balance of this valuable socialable information in his own language:

The other three creations stand on wholly different grounds. They are cases in which Peerages of the United Kingdom are bestowed on men who already hold Irish or Scotch Peerages. The holding of these latter confers no legislative rights. No Irish and no Scotch Peer, as such has a seat in the House of Lords. A good many of both are, in fact, members of that Assembly, but they get there in one of two ways. First, they may be elected. From Scotland sixteen so-called representative Peers are elected, and from Ireland twenty-eight. But in both cases the Tories have a monopoly of the power of election, and no Liberal has a chance; and when a Liberal Government is in power the balance is slightly redressed by conferring—and this is the second way—a British Peerage or two upon eminent Scotch or Irish nobles. One Irishman and two Scotchmen have thus opened to them the gates of what our Liberal organ above named denominates a very questionable paradise. The Earl of Howth is the Irishman; like all Irishmen, of most ancient family, for, though he is only the fourth Earl, he is the thirtieth Baron Howth, and the family has lived on the same estate for six centuries at least, or perhaps seven, for it dates its possession of the land and title from the twelfth century, when Sir Armonicus Tristan won them by the sword, and so became what Mr. Healy, in his graceful way, calls a land thief. The Marquis of Tweeddale, though of less antiquity, is the tenth holder of the title, and descends from a Baron Hay, who goes back to 1488. It is not to be expected that a Scotchman, or anybody else, should compete with an Irishman in remoteness of ancestry. For a Scotchman, the Marquis of Tweeddale is of a most honorable mediævalism.

So is Lord Reay, who, though inferior alike in rank and antiquity of title to his brother Scot, is by far the most notable of the six new creations. His name must be familiar to the financial public in America as one of the English Commissioners to the International Monetary Conference at Paris. Mr. Evarts will tell you what opinion he and his colleagues there formed of Lord Reay's abilities and knowledge. There was a Scotch Baron Reay as long ago as 1628, and the peerage, by some process of intermarriage to complicated to unravel, is both Dutch and Scotch. Lord Reay is the eleventh baron. His father and grandfather were barons of the Kingdom of the Netherlands, and the tedth baron was a member of the States General of Holland, Vice-President of the Council of State, and Minister of State. The present Lord Reay was born at The Hague in 1839 (he is a baronet of Nova Scotia also), has been attache at the Dutch Legation in London, and if I recollect rightly, had afterward a place about the Court at The Hague, and served in other positions of honor. He is, at any rate, a man with a kind of knowledge very rare in England. He was trained on the Continent, and has the accomplishments more common there than here; an intimate acquaintance with the politics and politicians of Europe; with diplomacy and diplomatists; speaks at least four languages fluently; knows accurately what he knows, and is a student of social politics. Though a Scotch Peer and a naturalized Englishman, he was absolutely shut out from English public life until now that Mr. Gladstone opens to him the door of the House of Lords. This I believe to be a recognition of Lord Reay's personal merits, and in expectation of real services he is capable of rendering by becoming, as he does, a member of that Liberal minority which, if the Upper Chamber is to continue to exist, is greatly in need of reinforcements. Since Lord Reay's accession to his fathers title, he has lived in London, where he has become widely known and liked. Lord Salisbury's recent escapade has put Liberals so much out of temper with the House of Lords that they admit reluctantly even its merits, and offer but a cold welcome to its most deserving recruits. It would be a mistake, says our churlish friend who speaks for Dissenting Liberalism to waste upon the Upper Chamber men who are capable of doing good work elsewhere. Perhaps it would be, and perhaps it is also a mistake not to recognize more civilly the accession to that Chamber of an able man who can do good work there, and who is prevented by circumstances from doing it elsewhere.

THE DEAD PRESIDENT.

INCIDENTS OF THE LAST MOMENTS OF THE NATION'S RULER—PREVALENCE OF INTENSE GLOOM OVER THE SAD EVENT—GUARD OF HONOR TENDERED BY NEW JERSEY'S GOVERNOR—AFFECTING MESSAGE FROM THE QUEEN TO MRS. GARFIELD—THE CABINET OFFICIALLY ADVISED OF GEN. ARTHUR'S TAKING THE OATH OF OFFICE.

LONG BRANCH, Sept. 20, 5.45 A. M. Dr. Bliss says the moment he entered the sick room he saw that the President was dying, and immediately sent for Drs. Agnew and Hamilton. The former arrived, but the latter could not be found, and was not present when the President passed away. The doctor attributes his death to neuralgia of the heart which caused the formation of a blood clot, thereby preventing the proper circulation of the blood. The President's remarks to Col. Swaim, who was with him when he awakened from his sleep, were, "Oh! Swaim. what a pain," placing his hand on his heart. "Can't you do something for me? Oh! Swaim." At this time Mrs. Garfield had been out of the room for about fifteen minutes, and had retired for the night.—Previous to going to his own room Dr. Bliss says he conferred with Mrs. Garfield on the general condition of the President and that she expressed the opinion that her husband was not weary, and that he had awakened feeling comfortable and experiencing no pain. It was about ten minutes past 10 o'clock, said Dr. Bliss, when the President awakened and complained of the severe pain in his heart. The doctor referred to the fact that the former attending surgeons on the case had been called here to attend the autopsy and that Dr. Curtis, of Washington, had been selected to do the cutting.

LONG BRANCH, Sept. 20, 10.45 A. M.—The day opened clear and warm.—The ocean is perfectly calm, the roar of the surf being scarcely perceptible. The intense gloom which has been cast over the village by the death of President Garfield is unprecedented. Strong men may be seen on all sides discussing the sad event and the solemnity of the occasion, and giving vent to expressions of heartfelt sympathy for the bereaved family with tears falling from their eye. The scene throughout the city is not one of bustle and excitement, but of a subdued and very impressive character. Flags are at half mast and the more prominent cottages are being draped with mourning. Expressions of grief are visible in all directions and a general feeling of sympathy and extreme sorrow prevails.

The following telegram was received by the Cabinet this morning:

New York, September 20.—I have your message announcing the death of President Garfield. Permit me to renew through you the expression of sorrow and sympathy which I have already telegraphed to Attorney General MacVeagh. In accordance with your suggestion I have taken the oath of office, as President, before Hon. John R. Brady, Justice of the Supreme Court of the state of New York. I will soon advise you further in regard to the other suggestions in your telegram.

(Signed) C. A. ARTHUR.

The following has also been received:

TRENTON, September 20.—Hon. Wayne MacVeagh:—I am directed by Governor Ludlow to tender you a guard of honor to the remains of President Garfield.

(Signed) WM. S. STRICKER, Ad'jt General.

The Attorney General replied that the offer would probably be accepted.

Mrs. Garfield received the following dispatch from the Queen of England this morning:

Mrs. Garfield, Long Branch:—Words cannot express the deep sympathy I feel with you at this terrible moment. May God support and comfort you, as He alone can.

(Signed) THE QUEEN, Balmoral Court.

LONG BRANCH, Sept. 20.—The following was received this morning:

"Mrs. Garfield, Long Branch:—The citizens of London feel the deepest sympathy with you and America in the sad loss sustained.

(Signed) LORD MAYOR LONDON.

LONG BRANCH, September 20.—In a conversation with Dr. Bliss, the following dialogue occurred: "Doctor, what time do you expect Surgeons Barnes, Woodward and Reyburn will arrive?" "About 3.30."

"Will the autopsy occur immediately thereafter?" "Yes, as soon as possible after their arrival."

"Will your report of the autopsy be in detail?" "Yes, it will cover every point of the case from the time the President was shot until he died."

Dr. Bliss, during the course of further conversation, described the last moments of the President as being very calm, and, with the exception of the pain complained of in the region of the heart, which the patient denoted by placing his hand on his left breast there was no struggle whatever. His breathing during his last moments was heavy, though not laborious.

Attorney General MacVeagh, who has charge of the arrangements for removing the remains from Long Branch to Washington, says that the Pennsylvania Railroad will send four coaches here to be used on the occasion.

Attorney General MacVeagh has informed a representative of the Associated Press that he did not apprehend that an inquest of the President's body would be made here, but that the matter was still in abeyance. The Attorney General is in communication with the District Attorney of Monmouth county and the United States Attorney for this District on the subject.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 20.—District Attorney Corkhill stated to-day that there is ample law in the District of Columbia to cover Guiteau's crime, and that he will be tried in Washington.

No further increase of the military guard at the jail, and General Drum, the Adjutant General, said to day that he considered the guard amply sufficient for all emergencies.

The agent of the Equitable Life Insurance Company, of New York, says President Garfield was insured for $25,000 in that company. He was also insured in other companies, but to what amount is not known.

It is stated that the President left no will, and that during his illness he declined to make one, saying he was willing to trust to the courts for an equitable division.

Judge Advocate General Swaim, who has been with President Garfield continually since he was shot, and who was the only one with the President when he commenced sinking last night, made the following statement to a representative of the Associated Press today: "It was my night to watch with the President. I had been with him a good deal of the time from 3 o'clock in the afternoon. A few minutes before 10 o'clock I left Colonel Rockwell with, whom I had been talking for some minutes in the large hall and proceeded up stairs to the President's room.—On entering I found Mrs. Garfield sitting by his bedside. There were no other persons in the room, I said to her, how is everything? She replied, he is sleeping nicely. I then said, I think you had better go to bed and rest. I asked her what had been prescribed for him to take during the night? She replied that she did not know; that she had given him milk punch at 8 o'clock. I then said, if you will wait a moment I will go into the Doctor's room and see what is to be given during the night. She then said, there is beef tea down stairs; Daniel knows where to get it. I then went into the doctor's room. I found Dr. Bliss there, and asked him what was to be given during the night. He answered, I think I had rather fix up a list, and will bring it into you pretty soon. I then went into the Surgeons' room and had some conversation with Mrs. Garfield. She felt of the President, half laid her head on his forehead, said he seems to be in pretty good condition and passed out of the room. I then felt his hands, feet and knees. I thought his knees felt a little cool, and got a flannel cloth, heated it at the fire and laid it over his limbs. I also heated another cloth and laid it over his right hand, and then sat down in a chair beside his bed. I was hardly seated when Dr. Boynton came in and felt of the President's pulse. I asked him how it seemed to him. He replied, "It is not as strong as it was this afternoon, but very good." I said, "he seems to be doing very well."—"Yes," he answered, and passed out. He was not in the room more than two minutes. Shortly after this the President awoke. As he turned his head on awakening I arose and took his hand. I was on the left hand side of the bed as he lay. I remarked, "you have had a nice comfortable nap." He then said, "Oh! Swaim, this terrible pain;" placing his right hand on his breast about over the region of the heart. I asked him if I could do anything for him. He said, "some water." I went immediately to the other side of the room and poured about an ounce and a half of water into a glass and gave him to drink. He took the glass in his hand, I raising his head, as usual, and drank the water very naterally. I then handed the glass to a colored man, (Daniel) who came in during the time I was getting the water. Afterwards I took a napkin and wiped his forehead, as he usually perspired on waking. He then said, "Oh Swaim! this terrible pain. Press your hand on it." I laid my hand on his chest. He then threw both hands up to his side and about on a line with his head and exclaimed, "Oh Swaim! can't you stop this?" and again, "Oh Swaim!" I then saw him looking at me with a staring expression. I asked him if he was suffering much pain, and receiving no answer I repeated the question with like result. I then concluded that he was either dying or was having a severe spasm, and I called to Daniel, who was at the door, to tell Dr. Bliss and Mrs. Garfield to come in immediately, and I glanced at the small clock hanging on the chandelier nearly over the foot of his bed, and saw that it was ten minutes past 10 o'clock. Dr. Bliss came in within two or three minutes. I told Daniel to bring a light—a little candle which habitually sat behind a screen near the door. When the light shone full on his face I saw that he was dying. When Dr. Bliss came in a moment after, I said, Doctor, have you any stimulants; he seems to be dying? He took hold of his wrist as if feeling for his pulse, and said, Yes; he is dying. I then said to Daniel, run and arouse the house, and at that moment Col. Rockwell came in, when Dr. Bliss said let us rub his limbs; which we did. In a very few moments Mrs. Garfield came in and said, What does this mean? and a moment after, exclaimed, Oh! why am I made to suffer this cruel wrong? At 10.35 P. M. the sacrifice was completed; he breathed his last calmly and peacefully. At the final moments the following persons were present: Mrs Garfield and Molly, Drs. Bliss, Agnew and Boynton, Gen. Swaim, Col. and Mrs Rockwell, J. Stanley Brown, C. O. Rockwell and Daniel Spriggs.

An extra express was sent to New York saying that the embalmed remains would be retained for autopsy.

The three physicians who left the house after the late President's removal from Washington are also here, having arrived on the same train with Dr. Curtis. Thus there will be present at the post mortem examination the following: Drs. Bliss, Hamilton, Agnew, Woodward, Reyburn, Surgeon General Barnes and Dr. Curtis. The duties of the autopsy will be performed by Dr. Agnew, who has held the knife in all operations in the course of the President's sickness. The ball will be found, and the condition of the lungs and wound will at last be definitely known.

ELBERON, September 20, 7.20 P. M.—The autopsy is nearly completed. It is said that the bullet was found immediately back of the heart.

LATER.—The statement that the ball was found in the region of the heart has been verified, and it is stated on authority that the developments of the autopsy prove that death was *veritable*. The President's life was only sustained by his most excellent nourishing and constant care. The details of the autopsy are being compiled, and will soon be made public.

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FUNERAL OBSEQUIES.

The remains will lie in state in the rotunda of the Capitol on Thursday and Friday, and will be guarded by detachments from the Executive Departments and by officers of the Senate and House of Representatives. Religious ceremonies will be observed in the rotunda at 3 o'clock on Friday afternoon, and at 5 p. m. the remains will be transfered to a funeral car and be removed to Cleveland, Ohio, arriving there on Saturday at 2 p. m. In Cleveland the remains will lie in state until Monday at 2 p. m., and be then interred in Lake View Cemetery. No ceremonies are expected in the cities and towns along the route of the funeral train, beyond the tolling of bells.—The detailed arrangements for final sepulchre are committed to the municipal authorities of Cleveland, under direction of the Executive of the state of Ohio.

(Signed) JAMES G. BLAINE.

WASHINGTON, September 20.—Senators Anthony and Bayard will arrive here to-night, to appoint a committee of the Senate to attend the President's funeral and to make such other arrangements as it is proper for the Senate to enter into. As there is now no presiding officer of the Senate, Sergeant-at-Arms Thompson, of the House of Representatives, telegraphed to Senators Anthony and Bayard, they being the Senators in the service of their respective political parties, asking them to take charge of the Senate arrangements. He also gave instructions for the erection of a catafalque in the rotunda of the Capitol and for appropriate mourning decorations.

The whole of the Cabinet, excepting Blaine and Lincoln, have arrived at Long Branch.

NEW PRESIDENT.

Gen. Arthur was sworn in at a quarter past 2 o'clock this morning at his house. Two Judges of the New York Supreme Court had been sent for—J. R. Brady and Charles Donohue. Judge Brady arrived with Messrs. Rollins and Root at ten minutes before 2 o'clock, but the ceremony was, out of courtesy, deferred until Judge Donohue's arrival, a little after 2 o'clock, with ex-Commissioner French. Judge Brady stood on the other side of the table facing Gen. Arthur. Grouped around the two men were Judge Donohue, Elihu Root, Commissioner French and Daniel G. Rollins and Gen. Arthur's son. Judge Brady slowly advanced a step and raised his right hand, General Arthur did likewise. A moment of impressive silence followed. General Arthur's features were almost fixed.—Then Judge Brady administered the oath. General Arthur speaking in a clear ringing voice, "I do solemnly swear that I will faithfully execute the office of President of the United States, and will, to the best of my ability, preserve, protect, and defend the Constution of the United States." After this he remained standing a moment longer, his hand still raised. No one spoke, nor did the President afterwards give expression to any emotion.

Up to 3 o'clock he had not decided when to leave the city for Washington

THE ASSASSIN'S TRIAL.

The Law Ample to Insure the Jurisdiction of Our Courts.

A well known lawyer, who has had many years' experience in courts and editing law publications, was asked by a *Republican* representative if Guiteau could be tried for murder in the District of Columbia, his victim, the President, having died without the jurisdiction of our courts. "Yes, he can be tried here. Our court has jurisdiction ample for the purposes of an indictment against Guiteau for the murder. I have read in our city papers communications in which it was asserted that the assassin could not be legally tried here, because the death resulting from Guiteau's shooting took place outside of this district. That proposition is untenable. If you call at my office at some leisure hour, in a day or two hence I will endeavor to show you that Guiteau not only can but should be tried in our district courts. In my judgement the District Attorney ought to resist any attempt to remove Guiteau to New Jersey."

Hon. Samuel Shallabarger said that he sees no reason for Guiteau's being present at the coroner's inquest. His own confession and written statements, as well as the testimony of those who saw him commit the deed, would be sufficient evidence to secure conviction. He said, however, that he spoke only as a lawyer, without knowledge of what would be done.

General Sherman is nocternal attire appeared at the window of his bourdoir late last Monday night, and conversed about the President's death with friends who were on the sidewalk.—The pith of his remarks is in the following, uttered in his usually emphatic manner: "Let the law have its course. The military force stationed at the jail is ample to prevent successful attack upon Guiteau. Even twenty soldiers stationed there ought to be able to keep back a mob of ten thousand."

The news of the death of the President was received at Raleigh with the deepest grief, and was announced by the tolling of bells. The Mayor called a meeting of citizens for last night.—Gov. Jarvis ordered the capitol closed and the flag half masted.

Fowls dry-picked suit the dealer better than scalded ones. The flesh retains its color better and keeps longer.

Every man, however wise, requires the advice of some vagacious friend in the affairs of life.

If evil be said of thee, and it is true, correct it; if it be a lie, laugh at it.

OUR BACON.

EDITOR OF POST:—I see in the late issue of your paper a communication from Mr. Wm. X. Snooks, of Smithville, reflecting very severely on our much esteemed friend and fellow-citizen, Henry Bacon, and his man Friday, J. T. Harper. The charge is that he runs the whole river and harbor improvements in the interest of himself and his *man H.*, and that the vast appropiations made by Congress for the improvement of the navigation of the Lower Cape Fear is swallowed up by those high officials, to the utter destruction of the works, and the disgust of every right thinking man. It is also insinuated by this scribbler, Snooks that our Henry Bacon is a partner in general merchandise with Mr. J. T. Harper, and that no man can get employment on the federal works, at any price, or in any manner, unless he consents and does actually trade at the store of Harper & Co., and for any violation of this contract the laborer is immediately discharged. Some other gossippers of the little "burg" even go further than Snooks in their suspicions and charges, and really charge that on Saturday evenings of every settling day, when the paymaster makes his appearance to gladden the hearts of the working men with the over-joyful appropriation money, that our Bacon is as true as the needle to the north in the counting room of our friend Harper, and in close proximity to the Financial Iron Safe, to see either how the profits of the financial month foot up, or how many of the workmen have stopped trading at the great Bazar, or whether the clerks of the establishment have clean balance sheets. Now these charges and insinuations of Snooks and others are cruel and unjust, *if untrue;* and I do not blame Mickel, the *sub*-Superintendent and Lieutenant Inspector of the works, for using curse words and calling everybody liars. And if Colonel Craighill could only come here and see the persecution of his great friend and supposed kinsman, our Bacon, he would conclude to stop up Corn Cake inlet at any expense, if he had to adopt the extreme measures of our Bacon, with inch plank and ten penny nails.

Now "the truth of the pudding is chewing the bag." Are these things true? The writer of this, and this community, Commodore Snooks and the Washington officials want to know of Mr. Henry Bacon:

1st. Are you a partner of J. T. Harper in the mercantile business at Smithville?

2d. Are you part owner of the steamer Passport?

3d. Do you refuse to employ any one that does not trade at the store of J. T. Harper.

4th. Have you discharged any of your employes for not trading with J. T. Harper.

5th. Do you allow the Passport the free use of the government wharf and exclude others?

6th. What object have you in view, when the money arrives to pay off employes, in handing it over to Captain Harper instead of the parties entitled to it?

7th. Is it true that you visit the counting room of Harper & Co., on settling days to supervise the internal machinery of general merchandise.

8th. When Captain Harper is off on his own personal affairs, at New York, Little River and elsewhere, does his regular pay go on by the gosernment, or do you make deductions?

Answer all these questions, friend Bacon, and if ratisfactory, I promise to give my brother, Mr. X. Snooks, the devil in my next communication.

Your friend,

PETER SNOOKS.

Bad Thoughts.

Bad thoughts, if cherished, blight virtue, destroy purity, and undermine the stablest foundations of character. They are like rot in timber; like rust in iron. They eat into the man. And when the process has gone on for awhile, and there comes the stress of an outward temptation, down they go into a mass of ruin! Ships go out to sea, all bright with fresh paint, their sails all spread and streamers flying; and never come back, never reach port. Why? They met a storm and went down, because they were rotten. Under the paint was decay! Just so bad thoughts, vile, impure thoughts and imaginations, rot the manly oak of character, rust the iron of pinciple, slacken all the stays of virtue, and leave the man, the woman, to the violence of temptation, with no interior of reserve power to withstand the shock. Bad thoughts fed and fattened are the bottom-vice of society.

The widow of Ouray, the celebrated Ute chief, who died last winter, sold the household effects at auction the other day, and from the published accounts of the sale in the local papers, the Colorado Indians must live in luxury. The *Solid Muldoon* says: "The articles offered were knocked down at ruinous prices prices. The four Russia leather arm chairs sold for 75 cts; $75 dressing case, $13; Ouray's fine broadcloth suit (never worn), $6; forty yards of velvet Brussels, worth $100, for $13, and Ouray and Chipeta's certificates of membership of the Methodist Episcopal Church, 25 cents."

If the authorities at Washington want to make Sergeat Mason the most popular man in America they should prosecute him for firing at Guiteau.

There is more merit in subduing a passion than in avenging an injury.

Personal.

"Burnside was one of the most kind-hearted of men."

Governor Jerome put down $15,000 for the Michigan fund.

Beside Mr. Edmund de LaFayette, better than all, will be at Yorktown.

Ex-Minister Christiancy has been challenged to fight a duel, and has of jewels valued at $6,000.

Henry W. Johnson of New York, Marine underwriter, and from Connecticut, died on Thursday of abscess. He was one of the best adjusters.

Jean Baptiste Nothomb, a Belgian statesman, nearly 80 years old, born of humble parentage in Luxembourg, diplomat, and Minister of Public Works, died lately.

Mr. J. W. Simonton, who has been for fifteen years past the General Agent of the Associated Press, retires from that position, and will be succeeded by Mr. J. C. Hueston, formerly representative of the association at London.

A PRINCE OF BREFFNER is the title of Mr. Thomas P. May's new novel which is in press and shortly to be published by T. B. Peterson & Brothers, of Philadelphia, Pa. The hero of this charming book was a famous Irish soldier of fortune and the first Spanish Governor of Louisiana. The book has a clearly defined, beautiful value, while the autors power of narative is remarkable, and the work will amply repay perusal. We recommend it to all.

Increase in Immigration.

Five steamships landed 1,850 immigrants at Castle Garden yesterday—the Republic, from Liverpool, 716, the Main, from Bremen, 675; the Switzerland, from Antwerp, 363; the Italia, from Barrow, 62, and the Djolibah from Marseilles, 84. The short fall immigration seems to have passed, and the steamships are now bringing an increase which is always noticeable after the harvesting of the crops. Superintendent Jackson, Castle Garden, said yesterday that the total arrivals since January 1, have been 328,010, an increase over the total of 1880 of 5,121, and an increase over the total of 1879, of 191,832. The arrivals from September 1 to 15 were 15,273, against 13,151 in the same period last year. Mr Jackson thinks that the immigration in October, which is usually greater than in other months of the year, excepting May and June, will be exceedingly large this year. The most will come from the farming districts of Europe, where they can secure sufficient to pay their passage to the United States and have a little remaining to meet emergencies after arrival. It is anticipated also that there will be a large immigration from Ireland. The Rev. Mr. French, of Ireland, was yesterday a visitor at Castle Garden, seeking information as to the best part of the country for such immigrants to settle.—*N. Y. Tribune.*

The Morphine Habit.

It is said that the morphine habit is not only widely prevalent, but that it has grown alarmingly during the last five or six years, and many persons who would never be suspected of the habit are its irredeemable victims. Hypodermic injections of morphine have largely usurped the place, with certain classes, of the old custom of taking morphine, laudanum and other preparations of opium into the stomach. The popular notion is that it is not so harmful. But there is very little difference, and that the injections a thought to be more dagerous because they are more insidious. They can be self-administered without the least trouble, and are also administered in nearly all cases where serious mischief is done. The effect of morphine under the skin is described as peculiar and wonderfully agreeable. The mind is steeped in a lulling repose. Even strong men and women have frequently found it hard to resist its allurements, and have not been able to surrender its beauties without arousing all their will. On this account some physicians will not administer or prescribe morphine under any circumstances, fearing the consequences to their patients. Not a few women of the finer type have been wrecked by the habit, and many men, professional and commercial, are steadily ruining themselves by its indulgence. It wailed as a great blessing, and so it is, properly regulated; but like so many blessings, it may easily be converted into a curse. At best, it is a dangerous remedy.

Worthless Stuff.

Just so fast my friend; if you could see the strong, healthy, blooming men, women and children that have been raised from beds of sickness, suffering and almost death, by the use of Hop Bitters, you would say "Glorious and invaluable remedy."—*Philadelphia Press.*

A really good man had rather be deceived than be suspicious; had rather lose his own right than ruin the reputation of doing even a hard thing. The true temper of that amazing of which Agassiz says it shall never fail.

Sometimes aline can secure united action on orderly, progressive grounds, and true liberty and the false liberty which was a mere cry-baby for gas, are nothing all enlightment.

Any coward can fight a battle when he is sure of winning; but give me the man who has pluck to fight when he is sure of losing.—*George Eliot.*

RAILROADS.

Wilmington & Weldon R. R. Company.

OFFICE GENERAL SUPERINTENDENT, Wilmington, N. C., May 15, 1881.

CHANGE OF SCHEDULE.

On and after May 15th, 1881, at 6.40 P. m., Passenger Trains on the W. & W. Railroad will run as follows:

DAY MAIL AND EXPRESS TRAIN Daily—Nos. 47 North and 48 South.

Leave Wilmington, Front Street Depot, at	6.40 A. M
Arrive at Weldon at	12.30 P. M
Leave Weldon at	2.30 P. M
Arrive at Wilmington, Front St. Depot at	8.05 P. M

FAST THROUGH MAIL AND PASSENGER TRAINS, Daily—Nos. 42 North and 40 South.

Leave Wilmington, Front Street Depot, at	6.25 P M
Arrive at Weldon	12 30 A M
Leave Weldon	2.45 A M
Arrive at Wilmington, Front Street Depot	11.25 P M

Train No. 40 South will stop only at Rocky Mount, Wilson, Goldsboro and Magnolia.

Train on Tarboro Branch Road leave Rocky Mount for Tarboro at 7.00 P. M. Daily and Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 5.00 A. M. Returning leave Tarboro at 8.00 A. M. daily, and Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 8.30 P. M.

Train No. 47 makes close connection at Weldon for all points North Daily. All rail via Richmond, and daily except Sunday via Bay Line.

Train No 43 runs daily and makes close connection for all points north via Richmond and Washington.

All trains run solid between Wilmington and Washington, and have Pullman Palace Sleepers attached.

JOHN F. DIVINE, General Sup't.

A. POPE, Gen'l Passenger Agent.

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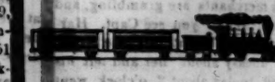

WILMINGTON, N. C., May 13, 1881.

CHANGE OF SCHEDULE

ON AND AFTER MAY 15, 1881, at 3.45 P. M., the following Passenger Schedule will be run on this road:

NIGHT EXPRESS TRAIN (Daily) Nos. 48 West and 47 East.

Leave Wilmington	10.05 P M
Leave Florence	2 40 A M
Arrive at C. C. & A. Junction	5.45 A. M
Arrive at Columbia	6.00 A. M
Leave Columbia	10.00 P. M
Leave C. C. & A. Junction	10 20 P. M
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Arrive at Wilmington	6.30 A M

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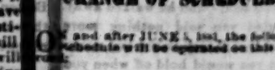

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Wilmington at	5.20 A. M

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THE WILMINGTON POST.

WILMINGTON, N. C.

SUNDAY MORNING, SEPT 25, 1881

A Good Offer.

A correspondent of the Raleigh *Observer*, writes from Goldsboro, under date of September 2d, as follows:

"There need be no fear of a corn famine. The counties of Hyde, Beaufort, Tyrel and Onslow will this year make a sufficient surplus to supply any county in the state whose corn crop has failed. One of the most successfull farmers in Hyde county told me on Monday, that he would contract to put on the cars at Newbern, of this year's crop, 20,000 bushels of corn at 70 cents a bushel, and if allowed to the 1st of January to complete the delivery, he will make the contract at 65 cents per bushel. Both cotton and corn in Hyde are better than they have been for the last ten years.

Newspapers and Drouth.

The extent of the drouth has been fully reported and made known, and in sections it is bad enough, while in at least three-fourths of the United States the crop prospects are little short of last year, when the largest crops were harvested ever kown. A large portion of the crops of 1880 still remain in the country for use, as is proved by the immense shipments of grain arriving at Chicago, Newbern, Baltimore, New Orleans and other centres, of trade, with abundance left where that came from. In our own state, Wilmington, Newbern, &c., constantly have large supplies of corn from the eastern corn raising counties, with abundance of old corn in many interior counties, if distributed, to last balance of the year.—So that during the year 1881, there can be no cause for distress, except in the great outcry kept up in the newspapers about, "the drouth." And who does this benefit, and who injure?—They who have plenty, or have money to speculate, are benefitted according to the extent of avarice; and the needy and poor are in that proportion made to suffer! This being true, it is not difficult to perceive how starvation and famine can take place in the midst of plenty; and great harm by that means has already been done. The crops of 1881 are not so desperate, perhaps, as represented, by interested parties, who make untruthful statements to the Agricultural Department at Washington, and through the newspapers, not by a great deal, and if they are, the effect will not be felt before 1882, to be relived by the incoming of wheat and other small gain, &c.

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Drifting.

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"What! Do I hear correctly—you have gold?"

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THE WILMINGTON POST.

WILMINGTON, N. C.
SUNDAY MORNING, SEPT. 25, 1881

STATE NEWS.

Laurinburg *Enterprise:* We suppose there were not less than six thousand people in this town on Saturday—some of whom came a distance of forty miles across the country.

"Some were black,
And some were blacker;
Some were the color of a chaw terbacker."

——Dr. Charles K. Gardner, after ten months residence in this town, during which time he enjoyed a lucrative medical practice, left our village on Wednesday night last for New York where, he informs us, he has secured a position in Bellevue Hospital, at a handsome salary.——A beautiful new express coach was coupled to the fast mail train at this depot on Thursday last. It was built in the shops here, and is a creditable piece of workmanship.

Commercial News: The rice planters, in the Pantego section of Beaufort county, are greatly exercised over the appearance of worms in the rice, which attacking the heads are playing sad havoc with that cereal.——The time has arrived when we must have the outlet to Beaufort harbor, and steps should be taken by the business men of New Berne, the Albemarle and Chesapeake Canal Company and the Midland Railway people to obtain at the hands of the approaching Congress the necessary apptropriations for dredging.——The Postoffice building has been restored and the facilities for handling and distributing the mail greatly improved. It will be reoccupied by Postmaster Hubbs and his force to day.

Gastonia *Gazette:* The regular camp-meeting services of Shiloh Methodist Church began last Friday and ended Tuesday morning. The attendance was not near as large as usual. The behavior on the grounds during the meeting was excellent, there being no arrests whatever and nothing done to mar the pleasures of the occasion. It was the quietest meeting ever held there. Several young people were converted.——Widow Darby, living on Turkey creek, in Chester county, has a voracious hog which killed a cow last week and ruined a fine young colt. It ought to be killed forthwith.——Capt. Geo. W. Payne, division master, and one of the most popular men on this end of the Air Line road, has resigned and accepted a similar position on the Western North Carolina Railroad with headquarters at Salisbury.

Warrenton *Gazette:* A meeting of the members of the Bar and the citizens was held in the Court House here on Tuesday of court week for the purpose of expressing their regret at the death of Mr. William Eaton, and their admiration and respect for him. Mr. J. B. Batchelor was called to the Chair and Mr. W. A. Montgomery was appointed Secretary. A committee on resolutions was appointed, and several appropriate speeches made.——Susan Somerville, died at her residence in Warren county, N. C., on Sunday last. She was born in Warren county on the 18th of July 1808. She lived a faithful sister in the Lord, and died in the faith. Her word was "but watch thou in all things, endurance afflictions, do the work of an Evangelist, make full work of the ministry, for I am now ready to be offered, and the time of departure is at hand, I have fought a good fight, I have finished my cause, I have kept the faith."

Concord *Register:* Davidson college opened with 112 students. The outlook is that the attendance of students will be larger this year than for several years past. This, notwithstanding the drouth, speaks well for that popular institution.——Mr. McClellan of Harrisburg, gave us a perfect Indian arrow head that he picked up on his plantation the other day. It is made out of white flint rock.——Yesterday morning the weather was lowering, with the atmosphere filled with spray. About one hundred umbrellas were soon seen on the streets. The people handled them as though they were a new invention that they had to get used to, it has been so long since there has been rain to practice with them.——The Rev. Paul Barringer has moved to China Grove, where he will take charge, as pastor, of the new Reformed Church Congregation. He will also pastor the Mt. Gilead Church in No. 5 in this county.

"Nutricine."

"Nutricine" is the name of a new kind of food recently invented. Its preparation is thus described: Raw meat, from which bones and tendons have been carefully excised, is passed into a suitable machine along with nitrogenized alimentary substances, such as bread, to absorb the water of the meat, and possibly to form new combinations with it. After the mass thus prepared is dried in a stove under a mild heat, is pulverized and sifted; a powder of an agreeable taste, and varying from a yellow to grey in color, is the result. When albumen, fats or gummed water is added to this powder, solid cakes or cubes may be broken up as occasion may require, for soups or sauces. This nutricine is said to be admirably qualified to sustain physical vigor, and it can be preserved for any length of time, if it is kept from the deteriorating influences of an atmosphere charged with moisture and from the action of heat.

DEMOCRATS AND BONDS.

The Democrats have had so much to say about the Republicans stealing bonds that were issued by the Republican Convention and Legislature of 1868 and 1869, that we publish below the names of the DEMOCRATS and Republicans who received and used said bonds. This will be kept standing for the future in this paper.

The following, who received bonds, were DEMOCRATS:

R. H. Cowan,	$ 2,000,000
W. J. Hawkins,	3,200,000
Geo. W. Swepson,	6,666,000
Wm. Johnson,	2,000,000
E. Belo,	1,440,000
P. Mallett,	500,000
J. B. Stubbs,	450,000
Total,	$16,256,000

Those below were Republicans:

Dr. Wm. Sloan,	$2,000,000
A. J. Jones,	1,500,000
Total,	$3,500,000

For every Dollar received by a Republican, a DEMOCRAT got FIVE.

THE MAILS.

The mails close and arrive at the City Postoffice as follows:

Northern through mails	5:30 p. m.
Northern through and way mails	5:40 p. m.
Raleigh	5:40 a. m.
Mails for the N. C. Railroad, and routes supplied therefrom, including A. & N. C. Railroad, at	5:40 a. m.
Southern mails for all points South, daily	7:45 p. m.
Western mails (C. C. R'y) daily (except Sunday)	9.00 a. m.
Mail for Cheraw and Darlington	7.45 p. m
Mails for points between Florence and Charleston	7.45 p m
Fayetteville, and offices on Cape Fear River, Tuesdays and Fridays	1.00 p. m
Onslow C, H. and intermediate offices, every Monday and Thursday	6.00 p. m.
Smithville mails, by steamboat, daily (except Sundays)	8.30 a m
Mails for Easy Hill, Town Creek, Shallotte and little River, S C, every Monday & Thursday at	6.00 a m

OPEN FOR DELIVERY.

Northern through and way mails	7 30 a m
Southern mails	7.00 p m
C C Railway	4 00 p m

Stamp Office open from 8 a m to 12 m, and from 2 to 5.30 p m. Money Order and Register Department open same as stamp office.

General delivery open from 5.30 a m to 7.00 d m, and on Sundays from 8.30 to 9.30 a m.

Mails collected from street boxes every day at 4.00 p m.

Stamps for sale in small quantities at general delivery when stamp office is closed.

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

September 17.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE.—The market was firm at 50 cents per gallon, with sales reported of 150 casks at that price.

ROSIN.—The market was firm at $1 97½ for Strained and $2 05 for Good Strained, with sales as offered. Market strong and active for fine rosins on a basis of $2 50 for K Low Pale, $2 75 for M Pale, $3 00 for N Extra Pale, and $3 25 for W Window Glass.

TAR.—Market firm, with sales at $2 40 per bbl of 280 lbs, being an advance of 10 cents on last reports.

CRUDE TURPENTINE.—Market firm at $3 50 per bbl for Yellow Dip and $2 80 for Virgin, with sales at quotations, being a reduction of one-fifth on Virgin.

COTTON—Market firm at 11¼ cents bid for Middling, and 11½ cents asked. The following were the quotations of the day:

Ordinary,	8¼ cts ₱ lb
Good Ordinary,	9¼ " "
S. Good Ordinary,	— " "
Low Middling	10¼ " "
Middling,	11¼ " "
Good Middling	— " "

RECEIPTS.

Cotton,	544 bales
Spirits Turpentine	447 casks
Rosin,	957 bbls
Tar,	69 bbls
Crude Turpentine.	91 bbls

September 19.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE.—The market opened steady at 49 cents per gallon, with sales reported of 60 casks at that price.

ROSIN.—The market was steady at $2 00 for Strained and $2 10 for Good Strained, with sales as offered. Fine rosins firm on a basis of $2 75 for K Low Pale, $3 00 for M Pale, $3 25 for N Extra Pale, and $3 25 for W Window Glass.

TAR.—Market firm, with sales at $2 50 per bbl of 280 lbs.

CRUDE TURPENTINE.—Market firm at $3 50 per bbl for Yellow Dip and $2 80 for Virgin, with sales at quotations; being a reduction of one-fifth on Virgin.

COTTON.—Sales reported of 21 bales at 11¼ cents and 250 do on a basis of 11¼ cents per lb for Middling, closing steady at the advance. The following were the quotations of the day:

Ordinary,	— cts ₱ lb
Good Ordinary	9¼ " "
Strict Good Ordinary,	— " "
Low Middling,	10 11-16 " "
Middling,	11¼ " "
Good Middling,	11½ " "

RECEIPTS.

Cotton	382 bales
Spirits turpentine	279 casks
Rosin	1568 bbls
Tar,	187 bbls
Crude turpentine	491 bbls

September 22.

SPIRITS TURPETINNE.—The market opened firm at 51 cents per gallon, with sales reported of 410 casks at that price, and 50 do at 51½ cents, closing at the latter figure, being an advance of 1½c on last reports.

ROSIN.—The market was firm at $2 00 for Strained and $2 10 for Good Strained, with an advancing tendency. No sales to report. Fine rosins firm on a basis of $2 75 for K Low Pale, $3 00 for M Pale, $3 25 for N Extra Pale, and $3 75 for W Window Glass.

TAR.—Market firm, with sales at $2 50 per bbl of 280 lbs.

CRUDE TURPENTINE.—Market firm at $3 65 per bbl for Yellow Dip and $2 92 for Virgin, with sales at quotations; being a reduction of one-fifth on Virgin.

COTTON.—Sales reported of 40 bales on a basis of 11½ cents per lb for Middling, and 50 do of 11¼ cents. The following were the quotations of the day:

Ordinary,	— cts ₱ lb
Good Ordinary	9¼ " "
Strict Good Ordinary,	— " "
Low Middling,	10 9-16 " "
Middling,	11¼ " "
Good Middling.	11½ " "

RECEIPTS.

Cotton,	453 bales
Spirits Turpentine	476 casks
Rosin,	1517 bbls
Tar,	299 bbls
Crude Turpentine	491 bbls

September 23.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—The market was steady at 51½ cents per gallon, with sales reported of 50 casks at that price.

ROSIN.—Sales reported of 500 bbls Good Strained at $2 12 per bbl, the market closing firm at $2 05 for Strained and $2 15 for Good Strained for 500 bbl lots, being an advance of 5 cents on last reports.

TAR.—Market firm, with sales at $2 50 per bbl of 280 lbs.

CRUDE TURPENTINE.—Market firm at $3 65 per bbl for Yellow Dip and $2 92 for Virgin, with sales at quotations; being a reduction of one fifth on Virgin.

COTTON.—Sales reported of 40 bales on a basis of 11½ cents per lb for Middling, and 50 do of 11¼ cents. The following were the quotations of the day:

Ordinary,	— cts ₱ lb
Good Ordinary	9¼ " "
Strict Good Ordinary,	— " "
Low Middling,	10 9-16 " "
Middling,	11¼ " "
Good Middling.	11½ " "

RECEIPTS.

Cotton,	545 bales
Spirits Turpentine,	156 casks
Rosin,	687 bbls
Tar,	190 bbls
Crude Turpentine.	197 bbls

NOTICE.

All persons visiting Waccamaw Lake on excursions, would do well to call on Henry McDowell for pleasure boats and dinner. He is always on hand.
June 28 tf.

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COMMENCING Sunday, AUG. 28, 1881, trains on this road will run as follows:

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11.50 A. M., THROUGH MAIL daily connecting for Raleigh, Charleston, Augusta, Aiken, Savannah, Jacksonville. Stops at Chesterfield, Centralia, Drewry's Bluff on signal. Pullman Sleeper between New York and Charleston on this train.

6:00 P. M., Freight Daily (except Sunday).
7:20 A. M., Freight daily (except Sunday).

LEAVE PETERSBURG—NORTH.

4:15 A. M., Fast Mail daily. Stops only at Chester. Pullman Sleepers between Charleston and Milford, Va.

7:30 A. M., Freight daily (except Sunday).
2:30 P. M., Through Mail daily connecting with Richmond, Fredericksburg and Potomac Railroad for all points east and west. Also making connection with Chesapeake and Ohio Railroad for the Virginia Springs and all points north and west. This train stops at Manchester Chester and Centralia. Pullman Sleepers on this train between Charleston and New York.

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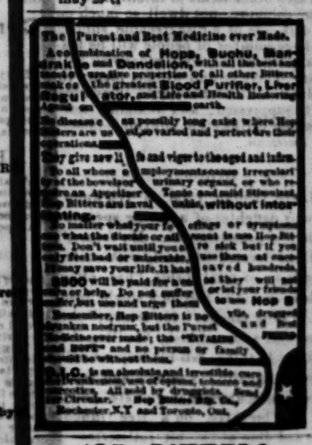
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